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Sir:

The above-identified application has been on file since April 21, 2004. The applicant respectfully inquires as to when the application will be taken up for examination.

A prompt reply to this inquiry would be appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

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